

LEGION CELEBRATION
GREAT SUCCESS

Immense Crowd Well Entertained at Monett July 4. People Well Behaved And No Accidents.

An immense crowd came to Monett July 4 to the American Legion celebration. The members of the Legion had spared no money nor trouble and the affair was a great success. The crowd was well behaved, no rowdiness was seen and no accidents are reported. Not an arrest was made, which is a remarkable record for a celebration of such size. This was due to the efficiency of the police organization with the assistance of the American Legion members and Boy Scouts.

The grand parade formed at the ball grounds on East Broadway at 10 o'clock in the morning. There were a number of entries and some beautiful floats were in the procession. Several hundred children were also in the parade. A committee of women acted as judges and awarded first prize to R. M. Callaway's Victrola float and second prize to the U. D. C. float.

Public speaking was held on Broadway between Fifth and Sixth streets. Mayor S. A. Chapell cordially welcomed the crowd to Monett. Prof. Englemann made a short speech and Prof. Raymond Thomas, of Southwest Teachers College a lieutenant in the late war and a member of the American Legion, gave a fine address, speaking particularly to the Legion members.

Gerald (Red) Holman won the pie eating contest. When he finished, there was about as much blackberry pie on the outside as on the inside and none of his features were visible below the eyes. He was held up for the inspection of the crowd.

After dinner various races and contests were held. In the tug of war between the American Legion and business men, the latter won the prize. A snappy boxing match was given by two small boys, James Carter and Red Holman, and James was an easy victor.

At 3 o'clock the American Legion and Knights of Columbus base ball teams played at the ball field, the Legion being victorious in a score of 12 to 2.

At 8 o'clock fireworks were displayed, the stand being on the corner of Front and Fifth streets.

The Hotkamp Carnival Company shows and concessions did a lively business all day. The merry-go-round and Ferris wheels were kept full all day and far into the night.

At 10 o'clock a street dance was held between Fifth and Sixth streets on the pavement. An orchestra from the Minstrels furnished the music. A large number of people danced and they had a large audience until the dance stopped at midnight.

The American Legion is well pleased with the success of their entertainment. They appreciated the cooperation given by the Commercial club and other citizens, and are especially grateful to the American Legion Girls and the Boy Scouts for their services on that day. The crowd was well taken care of and people down town gave those who had lunches, the privilege of using their lawns. There was plenty of ice water provided and the big Commercial club tent was erected for use as a rest room. The boys are to be commended for their efficient work in entertaining the people and making them comfortable.

Mrs. Joseph Hartmier, of Vinita, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli DeBrosse.

Mrs. O. H. Lane and son, Harold, of Joplin, who spent the Fourth of July with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Woods and other relatives, returned home Wednesday morning.

William and Bob Stewart went to Fairview the Fourth and played with the Peirce City base ball team against Fairview. A good game was played, the score being 2 to 0 in favor of Fairview.

Miss Margaret Donahue, of Boston, Mass., Miss Maybelle Alexander, of Atlanta, Ga., and Mr. C. A. Smith, of St. Louis, were here to spend the Fourth as guests of Miss Ruth Hall. Miss Alexander and Mr. Smith returned Monday evening, and Miss Donahue will stay for the week.

Mrs. J. S. Robinson and son, and her sister, Miss Grace Chandler spent Monday with their parents at Sarcoxie.

Dr. J. D. Shaddrick and son were visitors in Carthage, Wednesday.

Mrs. L. H. Gabriel and daughter, Miss Pauline Gabriel, spent Wednesday visiting in Joplin.

Mrs. L. C. Musser and children returned Tuesday from Springfield, where they celebrated the Fourth.

Misses Iva and Zena Carson, of Carthage, spent the Fourth in Monett, and were guests of Mrs. L. A. Blood.

Miss Hazel Mills, of Republic, is visiting her sister, Miss Gladys Mills, Chief Operator at the Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

FORD CAR STOLEN
MONDAY NIGHT

A Ford car belonging to Ami Reynaud was stolen from East Broadway Monday night. Mr. Reynaud parked his car on the street and on returning for it late in the evening, he found that it had been taken. He has not been able to locate it so far.

CHAUTAUQUA TICKETS
NOW ON SALE

The Chautauqua tickets are now on sale and they may be obtained from the business men. Those who subscribed for tickets last year will find their tickets at Bradford's furniture store and are requested to call for them right away. The committee will check up Thursday evening in order that they may get a line on the number of tickets that have been delivered. Help the committee by doing this and don't wait until the last day to get your tickets.

Tickets are on sale at the following places: Monett State Bank, Gallo-way & Mansfield, Mace Jacques, Central State Bank, Monett Drug Co., First National Bank, Wainwright's, L. D. McKee, W. R. Isbell, Tatem Wright, W. H. Snider, Elliott & Shaffer, F. H. Kaase, Durnell Dry Goods Co., Gulick & Son, Kane Drug Company, Tutt & Osborn, Broadway Hotel, and H. I. Bradford.

F. P. SIZER LEAVING
FOR EUROPE

F. P. Sizer received this morning from Congressman McPherson, his passport from the State Department, property visaed by the foreign Consuls.

Mr. Sizer will leave tonight for New York on his way to Europe. He goes as the legal representative of the Noco Petroleum Company to France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, and the United Kingdom. He will establish banking connections in these countries for his company for the enlargement of its foreign trade in the products of its refineries. He will take the necessary legal steps to place its securities on the stock exchange at London and in other financial centers of Europe.

Mr. Sizer will be away until September 1st. He sails from New York Harbor on the Cunard Liner, the Mauretania, July 14th.

FOURTH OF JULY PARTY TO
GINGER BLUE

The following composed a Fourth of July party to Ginger Blue, near Noel: Gen. and Mrs. W. A. Raupp, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Forsythe, Mrs. C. N. Collum and Harlin Moore of Peirce City; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shipley and Miss Josephine Price, of Monett.

W. F. Brite, real estate agent, left Tuesday evening for a business trip to Sapulpa, Okla.

Miss Margaret Gaydou, of Berne, Switzerland, arrived Tuesday evening to visit her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kruger, and other relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wolfe and son Jack, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Clutter, Mrs. Fogelson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones picked up at Pioneer Monday.

Capt. and Mrs. S. C. Mills, Miss Nellie Mills, W. S. Lewis and family, Miss Josephine Hand, Miss Ruth Wilhelm, and Elmer Wilhelm spent the Fourth at Crumly's Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mainford Kennedy and small daughter, Madeline, of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests of Mrs. L. A. Blood, Sunday. Mrs. Kennedy was formerly Miss Lottie Downing of this place.

Mrs. M. L. Ingram, of Cassville, left Wednesday morning for Bartlesville, Okla., having been summoned there by a message thating that her son, Dr. Rolla Ingram had been operated upon for appendicitis. Dr. John Ingram accompanied his mother to Monett.

Mrs. W. A. Mills, of Oklahoma City is visiting relatives here. She was called by the illness of her daughter, Mildred.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Veith, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Cooper and Miss Josephine Hand were visitors today in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Counts and family, of Purdy, were guests of Mrs. Julia Freeland, Monday, and attended the Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Pierce and baby, have returned from Purcell, Okla., where they visited relatives and celebrated the Fourth of July.

Miss Gretchen Walker visited between trains Tuesday morning with Miss Mazie Amber enroute from Cassville to her home in Springfield.

J. A. Hibbard and Leonard Suttles, of Jenkins, were here Wednesday in the interest of the Barry County Oil and Gas Company, which is soon to drill for oil at Jenkins.

W. E. Rudolph, of St. Louis, traveling passenger agent for the Grand Trunk Railway system, visited in Monett this morning on his way to Springfield. From there he will go to Joplin.

CARTHAGE BOOSTERS
VISIT MONETT

The Carthage boosters arrived at Monett at 12 o'clock today on the sociability run into this territory. A large number of cars were in the party, all decorated with the national colors. They were here for an hour and a half and secured dinner at the different hotels and restaurants.

They had with them a band and interesting speakers. The Southwest District Fair, which will be held at Carthage August 2 to 5 was especially advertised. Special advertising was done by the visitors and toy balloons, paper hats and other souvenirs were distributed.

The boosters left Carthage at 8 this morning and visited Reeds, Sarcoxie, Wentworth, Peirce City, Monett, Verona, Aurora, Mt. Vernon, Stotts City and Larusell.

See M. J. Hale for 20 Pay Life Insurance. 57-1f

Eighth and Ninth streets were being oiled today.

Ice cream freezers. Davis-Chapell Hardware Co. 302tf

Mrs. C. C. Cook was quite ill with toralitis, Wednesday.

Private money to loan on Improved Farms. JOHN E. GROH, Freistatt, Mo. 36tf

Drew Taylor and son, Ondo, left Wednesday for an overland trip to Drumright, Okla.

We always have money for Farm Loans. If in need see Wm. Smerdon, Monett, Mo. d&w 46tf

Machinist Don Williams was off duty today and his brother, Gilbert Williams relieved him.

Don't fail to provide an Eden washer for the busy housekeeper. Davis-Chapell Hardware Co. 96tf

Miss Gladys Tate has returned from a visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hale, of Aurora.

Julius Kayser cotton union suits for women \$1.50 and \$1.75 per suit. Also nice line of Kayser silk underwear. JACQUES. 93tf

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Exposito and children, of Berwick, spent the day in the city with Mrs. Drew Taylor and family.

I cure persons of pyorrhea and make artificial dentures that stay "put." See me before having your natural teeth extracted. DR. L. WEST, Dentist, Monett, Mo. 14tf

Miss Lois Blankenship who returned this week to her home at Tulsa, Okla., was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. E. Blankenship, and she returned home Wednesday evening.

High School Graduates—The Springfield hospital, Springfield, Mo., offers a three year course in nursing. Affiliations for special work; \$500.00 scholarship; 8 hour day. Next class September 1st. Write for information 09t6

She pitted the superficial wiles of modern Babylon against the unvarnished passions of the virgin woods and fired a holocaust beyond her power to quench. See "The MagnificentBrute" with Frank Mayo. GEM Saturday. 112

Misses Mabel Copleman, of Burbon and Thelma McIntosh, of Joplin, visited between trains Thursday morning with their uncle, Dr. S. F. Wilmesir. Miss Copleman had been visiting at Joplin and Miss McIntosh accompanied her home.

Being disabled will sell at auction at Monett Sales Day, July 11 Patent right No. 805666 for wire splicer and tightener for fences, in Barry, McDonald, Newton, Jasper, Barton, Dade, Vernon, Bates and Cedar counties. A. M. Renkoski. 08t6w1

FRANK G. ARMITAGE



Mr. Armitage is an unusually versatile entertainer. On the third afternoon of our Chautauqua, he will give Dickens impersonations, plane-logs, perform tricks and feats of magic, and give exhibitions of ventriloquism assisted by "Tamtam."

RAIL CHIEFS FAIL
TO MAKE DECISION

Chairmen of Unions Will Continue Sessions on Wage Cut Question.

Chicago, July 4.—The 1,500 chairmen of the railway unions of the country, who have been meeting here to consider the wage cut which became effective on July 1, failed to reach any agreement today and will continue their sessions during the week.

It had been expected that the unions chief's would issue a statement today regarding the attitude of the employees toward both the wage decreases and the national working agreement which were continued in different temporarily by the board pending further conferences between the roads and their employees.

According to the leaders the working agreements were considered the more important of the two issues and the statement was delayed to give further time for consideration of this issue.

Is your income guaranteed? M. J. HALE for insurance. 57-1f

Miss Lillie Hill and Miss Lois Bray are visiting at Benton, Ark.

Don't forget to order a sack of that Curg's Pride Graham. Whitlock-Lines 09t3

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Brown spent the day, Thursday with relatives at Purdy.

You can get your room covered with 12 foot inlaid linoleum. Go see, Callaway's. 09tf

W. O. Black, of Cassville, is visiting relatives in Monett and also east of town.

Make your old car look like new with SIMON'S SIMONIZ at W. H. FLORETH HDW. CO. 06tf

Conductor Hal Kirk is relieving Conductor J. H. Stevens on the Central division, between Monett and Paris Texas.

RECEIVE LARGE SHIPMENT
OF RECORDS

New Victrola records are here for July at Callaway's. 07tf

Mrs. Irene Robbins, Miss Nadine Robbins and Gaylord Price, of Cassville, were shopping in the city, Thursday.

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E. L. Hagler left Wednesday evening for Jonesborough, Ark., where he will meet his daughters who will return with him from a visit with their aunt at Senat, Mo. Their aunt accompanied them to Jonesborough where they were met by their father.

NEW WASH DRESSES RECEIVED
Jacques have just received a line of gingham, organdy and voile wash dresses. This is an exclusive line, the workmanship equal to home sewing. See this new line. JACQUES. 11tf

Miss Oval Pennell returned Wednesday evening from a four month's visit with relatives at different points in California. She visited at Sanger and at Shandon she visited her aunt, Mrs. Homer Haynes. Mrs. Haynes accompanied her home for an indefinite visit.

J. L. Moudy, of Verona, was in town on business Wednesday.

V. J. George has bought W. F. Wright's five acre fruit farm east of town and will move there in a few weeks.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson, Mrs. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of Tulsa, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Smith of Cassville, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown and John Johnston of Monett left Sunday morning for a week's outing at Eagle Rock.

Mrs. W. W. Turner, of Aurora, visited friends in the city Monday evening.

Frank Bear, of St. Louis, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Bear.

Mrs. C. F. Linthicum, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at West hospital last week, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Heeter and children, of Peirce City, spent Monday with Mrs. Carrie Bear.

Mrs. F. K. Miller returned this morning from a visit with her parents at Carl Junction.

The ruins of the Mansfield building at 306 Broadway, which was burned several months ago, are being torn down.

Miss Faye Matthews, and brother Oren Matthews, of Springfield, are guests of their cousins, Thelma and Paul Matthews.

Mrs. M. A. Timming, of San Antonio Texas, came Saturday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Horn.

OBITUARY

Martha A. Fly, wife of the late W. A. Fly, was born in Greene county Indiana, May 8, 1841 and died at Purdy, Mo., at 1:20 o'clock, July 2, 1921, at the age of 80 years.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Purdy, Sunday, July 3, at 3:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Wadlow, of Republic. Interment was made in the Purdy cemetery.

Her husband died three years ago. Children surviving are H. W. Fly, of Monett, Mrs. A. M. Gurley and Miss Mabel Fly, of Purdy. She had also one stepson, W. M. Fly, also of Purdy.

Mrs. Fly came to Missouri when young and was married to W. A. Fly fifty years ago. They lived on Joys creek two miles east of Corsicana in Barry county until they moved to Purdy in 1886. They made their home at that place the remainder of their lives, being among the most progressive and prominent people of the county.

Mrs. Fly's illness was long and tedious and for days before her passing away her death was hourly feared. She was an excellent woman and the family has the sympathy of many friends in her death.

PUBLIC SENTIMENT
FAVORS PARK

The special election called to vote bonds for a city park, is exciting much interest among the citizens of Monett. Sentiment of the people is strongly in favor of the proposition.

The issuing of \$25,000 bonds to be paid out in twenty-five years, will make city taxes very little more than they are. The city officials have paid off other bonds until they have been able to lower taxes considerably the past few years, so the people can bear a little more tax without feeling burdened.

Monett is showing a commendable progressive spirit in the proposed bond issue and the good citizens will rise to the occasion and carry the bonds with a good majority.

FIND BODIES OF MAN
AND WIFE IN CABIN

Hollister, Mo., July 4.—The bodies of Herman Helmeke and his wife, each about 70 years old, were found Sunday in an isolated cabin in the hills near Omaha, Ark., just across the state line. The man had been shot six times and the wife four and authorities believe they were killed about four days ago with robbery as the motive.

Neighbors reported having seen a stranger in the vicinity several days ago.

Although neighbors who discovered the bodies found the cabin apparently ransacked, it is not known what, if anything was taken. Helmeke and his wife had lived in the neighborhood several years.

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Judge A. W. Thomas went to Cassville Tuesday to attend county court.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brewer, of Peirce City, attended the celebration here the Fourth.

Miss Katherine Rivers visited from Friday to Sunday evening with relatives at Springfield and Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Garrison, of San Angelo, Tex., are visiting Mrs. M. F. Garrison and Mrs. O. L. Lewis.

Miss Mildred Mills, of Oklahoma City, who is visiting relatives here, is ill and has been threatened with typhoid fever. She is better today.

The residence of W. A. Mills, of Oklahoma City, was entered recently and a quantity of jewelry, including a valuable watch, was stolen.

Misses Rose, Genevieve and Anna Martin, Helen Marie Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Erwin and son motored to Roaring River resort Monday.

Mrs. Virgil Bandy who has been ill for several months, was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. King, of Branson, one day last week, and is getting much better according to word received from her Sunday.

Mrs. George Morrow returned Tuesday evening from a visit in Neosho. She was accompanied home by her niece, Miss Annabelle Berger, of Vinita, Okla., who will be her guest for several days.

Dr. L. H. Ferguson left Tuesday for Detroit, Mich., where his wife has been visiting. They will go from there to Chicago and to Rochester, Minn., at which places Dr. Ferguson will take post graduate medical studies.

Miss Helen Mae Rowden, who is at the home home of her aunt, John Breese, of Joplin, convalescing from a long illness, is reported much better by Dr. Moody. She was able to sit out on the porch nearly an hour on the evening of July 4th.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 6;
AMERICAN LEGION 10

The American Legion baseball team defeated the Knights of Columbus team in the first game of the series here Sunday by a score of 10 to 6.

Hogan pitching for the Legion was wild and hit several of the K. C. batsmen in the first part of the game but as the game progressed he got stronger and had better control. He struck out 14 men.

In the game the 4th Harbour had the K. C. team at his mercy throughout and would have had a shut-out had his team mates given him airtight support. Earl Cochran won the slugging honors of the day getting a fluke home-run in the 7th inning with the bases full. All the Legion men played exceptionally good ball for the amount of practice they had taken. The winning team won the \$25 prize given by the American Legion for the 4th of July game.

Line-up for July 3rd game:
W. Stewart, ss; Archdale, lf; McCampbell, cf; R. Stewart, 3rd; Armstrong, 2nd; Cockran, rf; Davis, 1st; Lockwood, c; Hogan, p.

Moody, ss; Moore, 2nd; McKinney, rf; McKenna, lf; Randall, cf; Ballay, 3rd; Stark, 1st; Smith, catcher; Dieterich, c; Walner, Pitcher.

Score by Innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
K. C.	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	—	6	4	3
Legion	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	4	—	10	13	4

Summary—Batteries: Hogan and Lockwood Walner and Smith and Dieterich; Two-base hits—W. Stewart, McCampbell 2, three-base hits, Davis Stolen bases, Archdale, McCampbell, Armstrong, Moody, McKenna. Base on balls off Walner 1, off Hogan 3. Hit by pitched balls by Hogan 6. Wild pitches, Hogan 2; Walner 1. Struck out by Walner 9, Hogan 14. Earned runs, Legion 7, K. C. 2. Umpires, McMillen and Feehan.

Line-up July 4th game.
Legion—Hogan, 3rd; Archdale, c; McCampbell, cf; Armstrong, 2nd; Davis, 1st; Edwards, ss; Cockran, rf; Cress, lf; Harbour, p.

K. C.—Moody, ss; Moore, 2nd; Feehan, cf; McKenna, rf; Walner, lf; Ballay, 3rd; Stark, 1st; Smith, c; Obermann, p.

Score by Innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
K. C.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	—	2	3	4
Legion	6	0	0	0	1	4	0	—	—	11	7	14

Batteries: K. C.—Obermann and Smith; Harbour and Archdale.

Summary: Two-base hits, Armstrong; Home runs, Cochran, Double plays, Moody to Moore to Stark. Stolen bases, Hogan, Edwards, Cress, Harbour. Base on balls of Obermann 3. Hit by pitched ball by Obermann 1. by Harbour 1. Wild pitches Harbour 1. Struck out by Obermann 5 by Harbour 10. Earned runs Legion 3 Umpire, Swartzel and McMillen.

CAMPING PARTY TO JENKINS

A camping party to Jenkins who left here Saturday evening to spend a week was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Welsh, J. J. Maher, Misses Mary and Agnes Maher, Katherine and Edna Larkin; Messrs. Frank Murphy, Will O'Neil and D. L. Moore.

PICNIC PARTY

Misses Jessie Bell Wilson of Rogers Ark., and Winifred Taylor, Messrs. Hiram Bradford and Leslie Mason motored to Neosho and Joplin, Sunday and spent the day, and on Monday composed a picnic party to Brite's Springs.

Mrs. J. M. Bushnell spent Tuesday evening with friends in the city, and left Wednesday morning for her home in Joplin. She had been to Springfield to visit Mr. Bushnell at the company hospital who is there to receive treatment for injuries received while on duty. He is an employee of the Frisco.

MONETT TESTIMONY

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When you see Doan's Kidney Pills recommended in this paper you most always find the recommender a Monett resident. It's the same everywhere—in 3,800 towns in the U. S. Fifty thousand people publicly thank Doan's. What other kidney remedy can give this proof of merit, honesty and truth? Home testimony must be true or it could not be published here. Read this Monett recommendation. Then insist on having Doan's. You will know what you are getting:

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